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NEWS RELEASE

UNIVERSITY OF DAYTON TO OFFER FALL SEMINARS FOR OLDER ADULTS

DAYTON, Ohio — From modern Africa to the world of opera, older adults will have the opportunity to expand their knowledge of the arts and sciences this fall through a series of seminars offered by the Institute for Learning in Retirement at the University of Dayton.

Participants in the program can attend as many of the 56 seminars as they are able to schedule. The seminars, slated to meet between Sept. 10 and Nov. 20, will cover a variety of topics, from Italian Renaissance art and Russian composers of the Romantic period to 100 years of flight and the ethnic heritage of Dayton.

There are no exams, grades or attendance requirements to participate in the program. The only requirements are that a participant is 50 or older and has an interest in learning. Spouses of members are also welcome. Anyone who meets this requirement may participate, regardless of past education.

Most seminars are moderated by retirees, and all moderators are volunteers. The UD Institute for Learning in Retirement is coordinated through the office of special programs and continuing education in the College of Arts and Sciences.

For more information on the program, to receive a brochure or if you are interested in moderating a seminar or volunteering some time to the Institute for Learning in Retirement, please call Julie Mitchell at (937) 229-2347.

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